IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Joerg Schiewe, et al.) Art Unit: 3743

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For : Apparatus for the dispensing of liquids, container cartridge suitable for this,

and system comprising the apparatus for the dispensing of liquids and the

container cartridge

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RESPONSE TO ELECTION / RESTRICTION

Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed on June 15, 2006, Applicants hereby elect to prosecute claims directed to the invention of Group I, claims 1-14 and 31-35, drawn to an apparatus for aerosol delivery.

Respectfully submitted,

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